

SHARTSIS FRIESE LLP  
ONE MARITIME PLAZA  
EIGHTEENTH FLOOR  
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94111-3598

SHARTSIS FRIESE LLP  
ROBERT E. SCHABERG (Bar #081430)  
ROBERT CHARLES WARD (Bar #160824)  
One Maritime Plaza, 18th Floor  
San Francisco, California 94111-3598  
Telephone: (415) 421-6500  
Facsimile: (415) 421-2922

Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
RS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CO. LLC,  
RS INVESTMENT TRUST, LEONARD B.  
AUERBACH, JOHN W. GLYNN, JR., JAMES  
K. PETERSON, JEROME S. CONTRO, AND  
STEVEN M. COHEN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CO. LLC, )  
a California limited liability company; et al., )  
Plaintiffs, )  
v. )  
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL SPECIALTY )  
LINES INSURANCE COMPANY, )  
Defendant. )

No. C 05-4082 (CRB)

**NOTICE OF DISMISSAL WITHOUT  
PREJUDICE**

Judge: Honorable Charles R. Breyer  
Complaint Filed: October 11, 2005

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that this action is hereby dismissed pursuant to Rule  
41(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

DATED: December 15, 2005

SHARTSIS FRIESE LLP

Dec. 19, 2005

By /s/ Robert E. Schaberg  
ROBERT E. SCHABERG



Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
RS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT CO. LLC, RS  
INVESTMENT TRUST, LEONARD B.  
AUERBACH, JOHN W. GLYNN, JR., JAMES K.  
PETERSON, JEROME S. CONTRO, AND STEVEN  
M. COHEN